



SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 1809.

[No: 2469.]

**Sales at Vendue.**

On every Tuesday and Friday,  
WILL BE SOLD  
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and  
Water streets.

A Variety of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.  
Particulars of which will be expressed in  
the bills of the day—All kinds of goods  
which are on limitation and the prices of  
which are established, can at any time be  
viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation  
and prices.

P. G. Marsteller, v. M.

**VINEGAR.**

For sale, one thousand gallons, by quanti-  
ties and retail. Apply to

Thomas Cruse.

April 10. d3w

**Just Published,**

BY COTTON AND STEWART,  
And for sale at their Store,  
(Price One Dollar.)

**The Exile of Erin.**

A NOVEL.

By Mrs. Plunkett—late Miss Gunning.  
January 6.

**Cotton and Stewart**

Have just published their

**ALMANAC for 1809.**

Containing a great deal of useful and enter-  
taining matter. For sale by the thousand,  
gross, or single one.

**WANTED TO HIRE,**

An active, well disposed BOY, of color,  
about 15 years of age.

Apply to the Printer.

March 20. d

**Joseph Mandeville,**

CORNER OF KING AND FAIRFAX STREETS,  
Has Received,

100 half boxes Rouffett's CI-  
ARS, warranted of the very first quality  
and full contents.

Real Maccouba Snuff,  
Lapsee do Coarse and Fine,  
30 boxes fresh MUSTARD,  
20 Philadelphia CHOCOLATE, 15  
and 2d quality.

—HE HAS ALSO,

A General Assortment as usual,  
of good WINES, LIQUORS, and GROCE-  
RIES, for sale.  
December 21.

**TO LET,**

THAT eligible stand for business lately  
occupied by Mr. Charles Bennett, at the  
corner of King and Fairfax streets.

R. I. TAYLOR.

Executor of John Watts.

Jan. 2.  
Elastic Three-slit Metallic Pens.  
Price One Dollar—  
Just received by ROBERT GRAY.

Also,

A general assortment of  
Roberts' Patent Family Medicines,

AND  
Dr. Rogers' Vegetable Pulmonic  
Detergent.

March 17.

**BRICK & STONE LAYERS.**

7. B. Hill & J. Ball

INFORM the citizens of Alexandria and  
the vicinity that they have commenced the  
above business, and from their practical  
knowledge hope to meet with a share of pa-  
trons from a generous public. They pledge  
themselves to execute such orders as they  
may be entrusted with in a satisfactory manner.  
They will furnish materials measured in the  
foot, or lay them by the thousand, as may  
be ordered by their employers. Where they are e-  
mployed to furnish materials they will be of  
the first quality.  
February 17. 3m

**Lamb Premium.**

I will give TEN DOLLARS for the finest  
lamb shown in the Alexandria market, on  
Thursday the 13th of May next. Two judges  
will be appointed.

April 12.

**A. Linda**

As it may tend to encourage the yeo-  
manry to pay attention to this branch of hus-  
bandry, the editors of papers in the district,  
will oblige by giving this a few insertions.  
A. L.

**For Freight or Charter,**

The well known Ship

**HERO,**

Thomas Cole, Master;  
Three hundred hogsheads or 2000 barrels  
burthen, in complete order and ready to re-  
ceive a cargo. Apply to

Thomas Cole.

March 15. d

**FOR FREIGHT,**

To St. Bartholomew or some other Port,

**The BRIG**

**MARY,**

CAPTAIN SNOW:

Burthen 166 tons—will be ready to receive  
a cargo on the 13th instant.

Apply to

Lewis Deblois.

April 12. d

**Black River Lottery No. 2.**

Commences drawing on Tuesday next, the  
11th instant.

**HIGHEST PRIZES.**

One of 30,000 dollars, one of 20,000 dol-  
lars, and two of 10,000 dollars.

In order to give those persons who have  
drawn prizes in the charitable Marine Lotte-  
ry, an opportunity of exchanging them for  
tickets in the Black River Lottery, the price  
will be continued at 9 dollars until the draw-  
ing begins, after which the price will be regu-  
lated by the state of the wheel—the first drawn  
number on Tuesday next will be entitled to

**One Thousand Dollars.**

**TICKETS**

For Sale at R. GRAY'S Bookstore, King-  
street, Alexandria.

Orders from the country, enclosing the  
Cash (post paid) punctually attended to, and  
early information given of the fate of all  
tickets purchased as above.  
April 6

**LANDING,**

From schr. *Federalist*, capt. Gunnison,  
30 boxes mould CANDLES  
10 hds dry COD FISH  
3 do. N. E. RUM  
25 bls. MACKEREL  
100 bushels SALT  
60 do. POTATOES  
FOR SALE BY

John G. Ladd.

April 19

**FRESH FRUIT.**

The subscriber has just received and offers for  
sale,

Malaga Raisins in kegs,  
Muscatel and Bloom Raisins  
in boxes.

ALSO,

35 bags and 12 barrels Coffee.  
James Patton.

April 19. d

**CATALOGUE OF PLAYS,**

FOR SALE BY

ROBERT GRAY.

THE ROBBERS, Forty Thieves, Jew of  
Mogadore, Hair at Law, Robbin Hood,  
Love Laughs at Locksmiths, Of Age To-mor-  
row, Fortress of Sorrento, Chrononhotontho-  
logos, Indian Princess, Critic, Fox Chase,  
Blue Beard, Lock and Key, Darby's Return,  
What a Blunder, Wanderer, Stranger, Blind  
Boy, Deserter, Jew, Point of Honor, Mer-  
maid, School for Scandal, Trust, Castle Spec-  
tre, Town and Country, Voice of Nature, He  
Would if He Could, Tears and Smiles, Adrian  
and Orilla, Farm House, Who's the Dupe,  
Trip to Scarborough, Whistle for it, Fortune's  
Frolic, Begone Dull Care, Adelgitha, World,  
How to grow Rich, Man of Fortitude.  
ALSO,

The Military Mentor, being a series of  
letters recently written from a general officer  
to his son—2 vols. boards price 62.  
Crabbe's Poems, highly spoken of by the  
British Reviews as a work of the first merit—  
price bound, \$1.  
March 29.

**MONEY LOST.**

ONE HUNDRED & FIVE DOLLARS  
(all in ten and five dollar notes on the  
bank of Potomac) at or near Anderson and  
Nutt's ware house in Alexandria. Any per-  
son finding the same or giving information so  
that I get it again shall receive Ten Dollars.  
Enoch D. Withers.

April 20

**Public Sale.**

Pursuant to a decretal order of the Chancery  
District Court of Williamsburg, will be of-  
fered for sale, on the 4th Monday in May  
next, at Westmoreland Court House, be-  
ing court day—

That very valuable FARM,  
situated on Nomony river, in the county of  
Westmoreland, the property of John Mac-  
chens, late of said county, containing 643 a-  
cres. A credit of twelve months will be giv-  
en, the purchaser executing to the commis-  
sioners acting under the aforesaid order, bond  
with approved security, and a deed of trust  
on the land to secure the payment of the pur-  
chase money according to the terms of the  
decree.

March 30. d6w

**Public Auction.**

Will be sold, on MONDAY, the 24th instant,  
at No. 16, Calvert-street, Baltimore—

100 packages of prime Cotton  
and Woollen Goods,

Received by the last vessels from England—

Consisting of

Fine and common Calicoes;  
Manchester; Jeans; Shirtings; Cambric  
Muslins; Furnitures; Hosiery; SEWING  
SILKS; Twist; Flannels; Cloths, (amongst  
which are thirty pieces Superfines) and cases  
of English and French Hats, &c. &c.

As this sale is to close a concern the terms  
will be liberal.

Baltimore, April 14. dts

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber having been appointed by  
Messrs. John Stumpf, jr. and David  
Ricketts, to act as their agent, for the con-  
ducting their business in Alexandria, in and  
under the firm of J. S. and D. RICKETTS,  
begs leave to give notice, that he will have  
for sale, on their account, a regular supply  
of FLOUR, &c. and in the purchase of WHEAT, &c.

Any kind of produce received on storage at  
the warehouse of J. S. and D. Ricketts, who  
have for sale about one thousand barrels of  
SUPERFINE FLOUR.

William Newton, Agent.

April 12—(15) d

**Just Received from Carolina,**

A QUANTITY OF  
SWEET POTATOE ROOTS,  
In prime order for planting.

IN STORE,

Ground alum SALT, fit for the present fishery  
ESSENCE OF SPRUCE, and  
A few pots PRESERVED GINGER.

Thos. Patten.

April 15 6t

**Just Received,**

DR. REE'S CYCLOPEDIA, No. 19.  
The AMERICAN ARTILLERIST, No.  
5, which completes the work.

THE AMERICAN REGISTER, vol. 3.  
And a few copies of *The Power of Religion*  
on the Mind, by Lindley Murray.

FOR SALE BY

R. Gray,

Who has on hand, a large stock of WRIT-  
ING PAPER AND SCHOOL BOOKS.

N. B. Country merchants and others who  
purchase to a considerable amount will be sup-  
plied at the lowest prices for cash.

R. G.

April 15

**A Runaway.**

ON Monday morning last, a young and  
likely negro man slave, named DICK,  
left the service of the subscriber, and is now  
supposed to be lurking in or about the town  
of Alexandria. He is about 18 or 19 years  
of age, copper colored, well made, and wears  
his hair in a queue. He took with him shoe-  
makers' tools, with which he is a tolerable  
workman, and had on a short jacket made of  
dark colored twilled Virginia cloth and pan-  
talions of the same.

As he went off without any sort of provo-  
cation that I know of, it is supposed he is  
harbored at some of the numerous tippling  
houses in or about the town, and perhaps kept  
at work to defray his expences.

I will give Ten Dollars reward for his ap-  
prehension and delivery to me, or if he is  
secured in any jail and notice given to me—  
and if he is apprehended out of the county of  
Fairfax or district of Columbia, I will pay  
Ten additional Dollars.

J. H. Hooe.

April 6. d

**TO RENT,**

On reasonable Terms,

One of the BEST STANDS for  
the FLOUR AND GROCERY BUSINESS  
in town.

A snug FARM of 200 acres for  
sale, or will be exchanged for property in  
Alexandria.

**Enquire of the Printer,**

April 21. 3t

**Hack, for Washington Bridge.**

THE subscriber will commence, on Mon-  
day next, running a Hack from Gordon's for  
the Washington Bridge, for the accommoda-  
tion of passengers having occasion to go that  
way. The Hack will start regularly every  
morning at nine o'clock, from Gordon's, and  
returning leave the Bridge at half after ten—  
will start again from Gordon's, at 3 o'clock,  
in the afternoon, and return at half past four.

Fare for passengers 50 cents, free of toll  
going, and the same returning.

Thomas Jacob.

April 21. d6t

**Ten Dollars Reward.**

RAN AWAY from the subscriber on Wednes-  
day morning last, a NEGRO MAN named

LUNNAN.

But calls himself Mr. Warren;  
36 years of age, he is very black and has lost  
part of his nose; his clothing cannot be de-  
scribed. The above reward will be paid for  
apprehending and confining him in jail, so  
that I get him again, & all reasonable charges  
if brought home.

**Eleanor Guillatt.**

All masters of vessels and others are fore-  
warned against harboring, employing or car-  
rying off said fellow, as they will be prosecut-  
ed to the extent of the law.

April 21. 3t

**Removal of Isaac Roberts.**

To the principal corner of Anderson and  
Nutt's store, eastwardly

**TO RENT,**

A neat two story Brick Dwelling House.

**Enquire of the Printer.**

April 20. d4f

**Clover Seed.**

Ten casks of the very best quality—Also  
six casks empty Glass Bottles, just received  
and for sale, cheap, by

John G. Ladd.

March 25.

**Joseph Mandeville,**

CORNER OF KING AND FAIRFAX STREETS,  
ALEXANDRIA:

Has received a considerable ad-  
dition to his Stock,

**AND OFFERS FOR SALE,**

20 hogsheads, } 1st and 2d quality  
20 barrels } Muscovado Sugars,  
7000 lb. Green Coffee  
\$ 1-2 tons British Patent Shot, assorted  
8B to No. 9.

10 bales Cotton.

10 casks first quality Goshen Cheese.

40 boxes Mould Candles.

15 bags clean heavy Pepper.

50 lb. Nutmegs.

casks London refined Saltpetre.

5 ditto Irish Glue.

Gunpowder, Imperial, Hyson, Yooag Hy

son, Hyson Skin, and Padre Bouchong Tea

in quarter chests, boxes and cannisters—most  
of which are equal in quality to any ever im-  
ported.

Madeira, Port, Marsala, Sherry, Lisbon, Ta-  
neriffe, and Malaga Wines.

A few cases Medoc Claret.

Jamaica, Windward-Island, and Northern  
Rum.

Cognac, Forderaux and Pech Brandy.

Holland and Country Gin.

Irish and Country Whiskey.

Six hogsheads Cherry Bounce.

Retailing Molasses, Havana Honey,

Wine and Cider Vinegar.

Best Florence Oil in bottles and Bask s.

Loaf and Lump Sugars, Chocolate, Rice,

Pearl & Common Barley, Basket Salt, Starch

Fig Blue, Indigo, Mace, Cloves, Cassia, Pi-  
mento, Race and Ground Ginger, Cayenne

Pepper, Capers, Mustard, Raisins, Almonds,  
Currants, Madder, Alum, Copperas, Roll

Bristle, Chalk, Brush and Broom, and

Campowder, Spanish Segars, Canadian and  
Small Twist Cigaring Tobacco, Leiper's

Garrett's and Hamilton's Snuff, Whiskey and

Wrapping Paper, Playing Cards, Red Cap-  
sling Lines, &c. &c.

March 12.



# Alexandria Daily Gazette, COMMERCIAL AND POLITICAL.

PRINTED AND PUBLISHED BY  
SAMUEL SNOWDEN,  
Royal-street, Alexandria.

Daily Gazette, 6 Dollars per annum.  
Country Gazette, 5 Dollars.

The following speech contains the charges  
against the duke of York.

BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS,  
JAN. 27, 1809.

## THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Mr. Wardell rose to make his promised motion, and impressed, as he stated, with the most ardent zeal for the public service, to lay before the house a series of incontrovertible facts which he trusted would induce them to rescue their country from the baneful influence of a power long exercised for the worst purposes. The high rank and the powerful influence of the commander in chief, rendered the duty which he had prescribed to himself a bold and arduous one; but bold and arduous as he felt it to be, he was not to be deterred from the execution of it, and he trusted that his royal highness would be made sensible, that however high his rank, and however powerful his influence, the voice of the people declared thro' their representatives, would prevail over corruption, and do justice to themselves. He protested, most solemnly, that he had no motive in view, but the honorable hope of doing his country a service; feeling as he did that in times like the present, if corruption were not attacked, and strongly attacked too, the country would fall an easy prey to our inveterate foe. The first establishment under the control of the commander in chief, to which he would call the attention of the house, was the half pay fund, arising from the sale of commissions vacant, either by death, promotion, (where officers were not allowed to sell) or by dismissals. The legitimate power which the commander in chief possessed over this fund, was either that of rewarding deserving officers with any of the commissions which fell in, or of causing them to be sold, and the money applied either to the redemption of the half pay list, or in aid of the compassionate fund. If he could prove that commissions, so vacant as he had different purposes, he should establish the fact, that the original intention of the half pay fund had been abandoned, for in such cases he should prove, that neither had merit received any reward, the half pay list experienced any reduction, nor the compassionate fund obtained any assistance. It was to him most painful, to be compelled to speak of one of his majesty's hopeful sons in a way very different, from that in which he should have been most happy to speak of him; but the facts which he had to state, while they bore most heavily on his royal highness, were so connected with the best interests of the British army, that he felt it his paramount duty frankly to submit them to the consideration of parliament. It so happened that in the year 1803, his royal highness the commander in chief, took a handsome house in Gloucester place, engaged a full establishment of servants, and above all, placed at their head a lady of the name of Clarke, whom he should frequently have occasion to mention in the course of what he had to say. And here he trusted that the house would be convinced from the number of facts which he should have to allege, and the number of names he would distinctly and unequivocally declare, that he had not taken up the subject on slight grounds. In the first case that he should submit to the house, major Tonym, (then captain Tonym) of the 31st regiment, and lieutenant Donovan, of the royal garrison battalion, were concerned. The former, as he understood, for he had not the honor of his acquaintance, was a most meritorious officer, and he trusted he should not be considered as casting any reflection upon him, by stating precisely what had come to his knowledge with respect to this transaction. Captain Tonym although the son of a distinguished general, not having been fortunate enough to obtain the promotion for which he was anxious, was, by captain Huxley Sanden, of royal wagon train, introduced to Mrs. Clarke. In consequence of that introduction, an agreement was entered into between Mrs. Clarke and captain Tonym, that on the promotion of the latter to the majority of the 31st he should pay Mrs. Clarke the sum of 500*l.* through the hands of Mr. Donovan. Before he proceeded, it would be necessary to apprise the house who Mr. Donovan was. In the year 1802, he had been appointed a lieutenant in the 4th royal garri-

son battalion, and had afterwards been removed to the 11th garrison battalion, in which he still continued. The house would naturally ask what had been this gentleman's services. Certainly not of a military nature; for from his first appointment to the present hour, Mr. Donovan had not gone near his regiment, having, as it were, obtained perpetual leave of absence; a circumstance at which, when the house became better acquainted with the kind of services which Mr. Donovan had actually rendered, they would not be at all surprised. To return to the case which he had been stating, the 500*l.* lodged by captain Tonym, with Mr. Donovan, was paid to Mrs. Clarke by the hands of captain Huxley Sanden, and captain Tonym obtained his majority. Now the regulation price for a majority was 1100*l.*; so that the half pay fund lost 1100*l.* for the purpose of putting 500*l.* in Mrs. Clarke's pocket. This 500*l.* he could prove was immediately paid by Mrs. Clarke to Mr. Burkett, the silversmith, in part of payment for a service of plate sent by him to Gloucester place, and the deficiency for which was paid by the commander in chief. It thus evidently appeared that his royal highness was, in this instance, an absolute partaker of the benefit derived from this nefarious transaction; and the house would be aware, that to prove the truth or the falsehood of the circumstance which he had stated, no less than five witnesses might be summoned to the bar, namely, major Tonym, Mrs. Clarke, captain Huxley Sanden, Mr. Donovan, and the executor of Mr. Burkett. The second example which he should adduce of the influence possessed by Mrs. Clarke in military matters, was an exchange which took place between lieutenant col. Brooke and lieutenant col. Knight. In this negotiation, Mr. Pym, a medical gentleman of high respectability—he believed an *accoucheur*—was concerned. It was agreed upon between Mr. Pym and Mrs. Clarke, that if the latter could effect this wished for exchange, she should receive an acknowledgment of 200*l.* It chanced just at this time that Mrs. Clarke had a strong inclination to make an excursion into the country. She stated her wishes to the commander in chief, and informed his royal highness that they might be gratified without any expence to himself, as an opportunity then afforded them of obtaining a sum of 200*l.* provided his royal highness would cause the exchange of col. Brooke and col. Knight to take place. On the very next Saturday the exchange of these officers was gazetted. Of this fact he could prove the reality by the evidence of lieutenant col. Brooke, lieutenant col. Knight, Mrs. Clarke, and Mr. Pym. As a contrast to the facility with which the exchange of these two officers was effected, he would mention a circumstance which had occurred a few weeks ago, and which shewed how difficult it was for officers even of high rank and great respectability, to obtain the most reasonable indulgence, without availing themselves of undue means. Major McDonald and major Sinclair, men of high military character, were placed in the following predicament: They were both in bad health. Major McDonald, with whom the climate of England agreed infinitely better than that of the West Indies, received orders to join his regiment, which was in one of the West-India islands. Major Sinclair, with whom, on the contrary, the climate of the West Indies agreed better than that of England, was most anxious to exchange with major McDonald. But, notwithstanding the utmost exertions were used by both these officers to obtain an object so desirable by them both, they failed in their endeavors. The commander in chief forced major McDonald to go abroad—he forced major Sinclair to stay at home, and both had since fallen victims to this cruel arrangement, from not having offered a bribe in a quarter where perhaps they were not aware that it would have been so unblushingly accepted. The next case which he should mention was that of major Shawe; and on this occasion Mrs. Clarke must have exerted her influence more strongly than usual, for it appeared that major Shawe was no favorite of the commander in chief. Mrs. Clarke and Mr. Shawe, however, soon came to a right understanding, and the latter consented to give the former 1,000*l.* on being appointed deputy barrack master general at the Cape of Good Hope. Major Shawe's appointment to that situation was in consequence gazetted on the 3d of April, 1807. He immediately paid himself, into Mrs. Clarke's hands 300*l.* soon after he sent her 200*l.* more, thro' his uncle Mr. Shawe. For the remaining 500*l.* Mrs. Clarke applied in vain; and when after repeated attempts, she found that she had no chance of obtaining it, she complained bitterly of her disappointment to his royal highness the commander in chief, who felt so much enraged at the circumstance, that he immediately put major

Shawe on half pay. He (Mr. Wardell) had in his possession a letter of major Shawe's, complaining heavily of the treatment he had experienced. Mrs. Shawe had also written to Mrs. Clarke, and threatened her and the commander in chief with a public exposure of the whole transaction, unless justice were immediately done her husband, but in vain. (Hear, hear, hear!) This case pretty clearly shewed that Mrs. Clarke's influence extended to the staff as well as to the other departments of the military service; &c by reducing an individual from full to half pay, in consequence alone of his breach of such an iniquitous bargain, his royal highness the commander in chief had made himself a direct party to the transaction. The next case to which he should call the attention of the House related to a levy under the direction of Col. French. Colonel French applied in the year 1804 for permission to conduct the levy of a regiment. This levy was set on foot by the influence of Mrs. Clarke, to whom Colonel French was introduced by Captain Huxley Sanden, and an agreement took place, by which it was stipulated that Mrs. Clarke should receive a given sum out of the bounty of each man, and have the patronage of a certain number of officers. This agreement Mrs. Clarke immediately made known to the Duke of York, and then sent Col. French to the horse guards to wait on his Royal Highness, where after several interviews he succeeded in obtaining his object. As the levy proceeded, Mrs. Clarke received several sums from Colonel French, from Captain Huxley Sanden, and from a Mr. Cory;—one sum of 500 pounds she received by the hands of Mr. Cockayne, a solicitor of eminence in London, employed by Colonel French. In the next case which he should state, it would be necessary for him to revert to Lieutenant Donovan of the royal garrison battalion, who was the agent of an old officer, a Captain Tuck, and who had actually given to that officer a written list of the prices at which Mrs. Clarke would engage to procure military promotion, namely for a majority, 900*l.* for a company 700*l.* for a lieutenantancy 400*l.* and for an ensigncy 200*l.* Now, the regulation prices were, for a majority 2,000*l.* for a company 1,500*l.* for a lieutenantancy 550*l.* and for an ensigncy 400*l.* so that the half-pay list and the compassionate fund must evidently have sustained the most material injury. The next case he should bring forward was of a still more pointed nature, and bore on the commander in chief alone. He was prepared to prove that the commander in chief was to have had a loan to a considerable amount from Col. French or his agent, on condition of successfully using his influence to procure for Colonel French a large arrears due to him from government, for the very levy of which he had already spoken. His Royal Highness did use his influence, but did not succeed, and did not receive his loan; and it was a fact, that at that moment there was due from government to Col. French no less a sum than 3000*l.*

The last case which he should intrude on the patience of the House was that of Captain Maling, who, being appointed an ensign in the 87th regiment on the 28th of November, 1805, was made a lieutenant on the 26th December, 1807, and obtained a company in the African corps on the 15th of September, 1806. This African corps, by the way, was commanded by Col. Gordon, the Duke of York's private secretary. Captain Maling was a man of unexceptionable character, he meant to cast no reflection upon him, but he certainly had had the good fortune to be a clerk in Mr. Greenwood's office, and he could prove, that tho' an ensign in 1805, he was at Mr. Greenwood's desk in 1807. But what was worse was this, that in three years, without an hour of actual service, he was put over the heads of all the subalterns in the army, consisting of hundreds of brave men who had long served their country, who had shed their blood in her defence, and in the assertion of her glory, and many of whom had even lodged money for the purchase of that promotion which Captain Maling had thus easily obtained. Whether this was doing justice to the British army or not, he left the House to determine. Before he sat down there was one circumstance to which he wished also to draw the attention of the House. He would venture to state on his own knowledge, that there was a public office in the city, open to all comers, where military commissions were offered for sale at the reduced prices Mrs. Clarke used to exact, and the agents of which declared that they were enabled so to offer them by Mrs. Carey, the present favorite mistress of his Royal Highness;—and further that, in addition to commissions in the army, they had the power of procuring all descriptions of places in the

Church and State.—(A laugh.)—Now those agents had not hesitated to give it up, der their own hands; that they were employed by two of the first officers of his Majesty's administration.—(A loud laugh.)—Mr. Wardell concluded by moving—

“That a committee be appointed to investigate the conduct of his Royal Highness the commander in chief, with respect to Promotions, Exchanges, and Appointments in the Staff, Levies, &c.”

Sir Francis Burdett seconded the motion.

From papers received at the office of the Norfolk Ledger, by the British brig Alce, 14 days from Grenada.

## WEST-INDIES.

St. GEORGES, (Gren.) March 18.

By the arrival of a vessel from Trinidad on Thursday evening, a report was brought of the capture by our squadron, to windward of Barbadoes, of 20 sail of enemy's transports and armed vessels, with troops, provisions and ammunition for the French colonies. It is said that the admiral had been informed of their being expected, and having stationed a number of frigates in a very judicious manner, they fell in with the enemy, seventeen of them were captured & sent to Barbadoes, the other three ran for Martinique, and shared, no doubt, the same fate; the French colors still continue flying there, as a decoy to the enemy. We hope that a confirmation of this happy event, and a more detailed account thereof, will soon enable us to lay the particulars of this interesting intelligence before our readers without delay.

From the St. Vincent Gazette, March 15.  
CONQUEST OF MARTINIQUE.

We have this day the pleasure of laying before our readers, the important communication of the surrender of fort Bourbon, to our army, on Friday the 24th ultimo, which cannot fail of inspiring the liveliest interest.

It appears, that on the 19th, a tremendous fire was opened on it, which was kept up for four successive days and nights without the smallest intermission. On the evening of the 23d, gen. Villaret sent out a flag of truce, when immediately all the firing had ceased. In consequence of Villaret's terms, being pretty similar to those made by Junot in Portugal, they of course were refused; and at eight the same evening the British commenced a dreadful cannonading, which continued the whole of that night. At seven the next morning (24th) the principal magazine blew up, and in the course of half an hour after, three white flags appeared flying on three distinct points of the fortress, when all firing had instantly ceased, and at ten o'clock that night, the capitulation was signed, and next morning ratified by Villaret. The terms appear to be as follow:

“That all private property will be respected, the garrison made prisoners of war, and to be sent to the coast of France to be exchanged, which if Bonaparte declines, they are to be peremptorily sent to England, and there kept prisoners of war.”

The captain general had a garrison of 3000 men when the British landed; but the military skill and intrepid valor of our army, had soon reduced them to about 2064. The fort had been plentifully supplied with excellent provisions, and an abundance of good water—but the reason that Villaret signs for its speedy reduction, is the circumstance of his principal magazine having blown up by a shell falling near it—which accident had reduced it to an almost untenable state. The fort was found in a most disagreeable appearance, and not a single foot of the surface of the battery that had not been ploughed up by shots or shells falling on it; and scarce a gun that was not dismounted.

The flank companies of the 7th foot, and two companies of the light brigade, marched into fort Bourbon on the morning of the 25th, and took possession of the works, the remainder of the French army remained encamped. The French do not move out the fort until transports are ready to receive them, which it is supposed will not be before the 6th or 8th inst. Capt. Paradie, of the 90th regiment, sailed with dispatches for England in the Gore sloop of war, on Wednesday last. Fort Royal is announced to be headquarters, until his majesty's pleasure is known.

The following is a correct list of non-commissioned officers and privates killed, wounded and missing on our side:

5 sergeants and 110 privates killed	115
9 sergeants, 6 drummers and 376 privates wounded	391
• privates missing	3
Total,	509

sergeants and General Moran and second in command on the 25th ult. We feel great regret that by accident; three slightly wounded the fatigue and pen of the inhabitants highly pleased with place, and houses and occupation. The versatility of his skill, his from the period, till the island, it is impossible to describe. The sequence of their gallant uniformed thanks; happen in those cases; was inflicted to the minute of the expedition to the general alone responsibility of it; and to his cent how nobly has conclusion. We hear that he of Guadal we do not doubt he a landing once effect he now has, that colony; as we the people that lead resistance on their we know, that the g approaching fast in

From the St. Christ We have the pleasure that the pred Gazette Extraordinary shortly “recording our naval annals,” though we are not the official accounts state from unquestioning the frigate seen in the captain Wise, (who account) proves to French frigate; that links in the British mers of her capture me to our knowledge she fired into his majesty's brig majesty's sloop Haza the latter was disma back to his majesty ordered to Haiti. Our informa Collier, late of t here in the Circe, to the comm same frigate that paper, to have mers; to avoid our high (as all the nav seem ultimately, we our hands.

BY THE LA NEW YORK appears by a file in yesterday rec there is a dispute b council. In an add bly of Bermuda the following passa We are truly sens and alarm in which community, and m over classes thereof, ment involved for th distress and alarm we reflect that the ment, had your ex favor to certain they them to export, c also or prohibitory sole quantity of pr a prospect of an app calamity can exce bly & every mea

PHILAL ELPHIL ship Live Oak, is below—sailed yesterday arrived scho back, from St. Thom from Havana, v as she was only could only learn the Havana, we number of the their escape on bo still remained







**JUST RECEIVED,**  
FOR SALE ONLY BY  
**James Kennedy, sen.**  
BOOKSELLER, KING-STREET,  
The following highly valuable **MEDICINE**  
Price 3 dollars per bottle.

**DR. JEBB'S**  
**NATURE'S RESTORATIVE,**  
A BALSAMIC CORDIAL.

THIS cordial, so justly celebrated throughout Great Britain and the continent of Europe, for its superior efficacy in the cure of all disorders excited by nervous irritability, as well as in complaints of complete debility, whether arising from irregularities of living, long continued residence in warm climates, intemperate pursuits of excessive pleasures, or that destructive habit of inconsiderate youth which brings on so prematurely the infirmities of old age.

In removing pulmonary affections, asthmas, and all disorders of the lungs, it is the most powerful remedy ever yet found, and the relief it has afforded even in the last stage of consumptions, is without a parallel; with regard to its efficacy in this baneful, and unfortunately the prevailing disorder in this country (consumption) its superiority is such as to have supplanted every other medicine.

Those who in advanced life feel the consequences of youthful excess, will find themselves restored to health and strength, and all those melancholy symptoms removed, which are the general effects of such causes.

In short, animated by the uniform success this invaluable cordial has experienced in Europe, the thousands it has renovated, when bending under the pressure of nervous, consumptive or hypochondriacal disorders (many attested proofs of which from eminently distinguished persons in this quarter of the globe, are now in the possession of the proprietor here, some few of which are herein published) have determined the introduction of it into this continent, where its efficacy must soon become so prized as to make it considered a beneficent remedy not to be dispensed with by those who are anxious to preserve or acquire their health.

The chief ingredient of this cordial is a plant whose rare and precious salutary virtues were well known to the Arabians during the 8th and 9th centuries, when that people shone conspicuous over all the nations of the world for their learning and skill in eradicating baneful diseases incident to the human frame, renovating infirmity to vigor, and restoring the sickly to sound and rosy health, and which as known at this time by their descendants, and used and experienced as the most sovereign remedy for decayed constitutions, and every species of nervous disorders. This celebrated restorative plant has also been highly estimated for ages past, amongst the most enlightened nations of Greece, and considered by those wise inhabitants as one of the first of their blessings.

This cordial is also rich and fine in flavor, most grateful to the palate, and the most enlivening to the spirits of any yet offered to the public.

**Dr. Tiffot's celebrated Gout and Rheumatic Drops.**

(Price, Two Dollars per bottle.)

NOTHING is of more importance than the preservation of health—this common place remark however is too often forgotten, whilst we are active and strong—and prevention of pain, which is superior to its cure, is not sufficiently attended to by any description of persons. Among those disorders which require the most early and unremitting efforts to eradicate and overcome, none have a stronger claim upon our notice than the Gout, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Weakness of the Joints, Sprains, Gleet, the Stone and Gravel, the Cramp and every species of Rheumatic Pains from whatever cause they may have originated—and hence every relief which can be administered is too valuable to be forgotten. Those persons whose avocations peculiarly expose them to colds, &c. cannot be too anxious always to possess immediate aid. Sea-faring persons, travellers, &c. ought constantly to carry with them that medicine which will counteract the unpleasant effects of their perilous duties, and especially those pains to which their situation must expose them. To those who reside in or visit the West-Indies, and their warm climates, they will be found upon trial to convey the most lasting service and will gradually destroy all tendency to disease in the human frame, and preserve health and vigor. Although a great variety of prescriptions have been published to cure the disorders enumerated above, none has yet equalled the **GOUT AND RHEUMATIC DROPS** of **DR. TISSOT**, which are celebrated throughout the European continent, and whose unbounded benefits are fully authenticated by certificates already published of gentlemen so well known in America, being of the first consequence in the state of Maryland: General Charles Ridgely, of Hampton; John Gibson, Esq. one of the directors of the Farmers' Bank of Maryland; John Macubbin, Esq. Mrs. Macubbin, his wife; and Mrs. Ryan, of Calton. Ample certificates and affidavits of the beneficial effects of these medicines may be seen by applying as above.

March 11

**Strayed or Stolen,**

From the commons of Alexandria,  
**BAY HORSE**, about 6 years old—who-  
ever will return him, or give informa-  
tion where he may be found, to the Printer,  
shall be generously rewarded.

March 30

**ORPHAN'S COURT,**

Alexandria County, March Term, 1809.

**ORDERED,**

That the executors of **Robert Townshend Hooe**, deceased, do insert the following advertisement three times a week for eight weeks in the *Alexandria Daily Gazette*.

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**ALEXANDER MOORE, Reg.**

THIS is to give notice That the subscribers of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters testamentary on the estate of **Col. Robt. T. Hooe**, late of the county aforesaid, merchant, deceased, all persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, on or before the 24th day of Sept. next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate—and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 24th day of March, 1809.

**John Muncafter,**  
**James H. Hooe,**

Executors.

March 25.

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**TAKE NOTICE,**

THAT a certain letter or power of attorney from **Saml. Craig** and the subscribers, dated March, 1807, as the executors of **John Dunlap**, of the town of Alexandria, in the district of Columbia, deceased, to **Samuel Dunlap**, authorising him, the said **Samuel Dunlap**, to collect, sue for and receive, all debts, dues and demands, owing to the aforesaid **John Dunlap**, deceased, is hereby revoked, annulled and made void.

**WM. HERBERT, Surviving Ex'r.**  
of **John Dunlap, dec'd.**

March 31

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**A YOUNG MAN,**

WHO can produce satisfactory recommendations, will be glad to be employed in some dry or wet good store, or in some office. A letter directed to **E. M.** and left at this office, will be attended to.

April 19

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**NEWTON KEENE,**

HAS JUST RECEIVED,

Per the schooner *Harriott*, capt. **Keith**,  
2000 bushels ground alum **SALT**, which will be sold low, if taken from on board,

And has on hand,

**SUGAR** in hhds. and barrels

**WINE** in pipes

**QUEEN'S WARE** in crates well asst'd.

Best **GREEN COFFEE** in bags, and

**Gr. alum** and **Liverpool SALT** in sacks.

April 11

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**NOTICE.**

**CHARLES SIMMS** has associated his son **John D. Simms**, with him in the practice of Law. He will regularly attend the circuit court for the county of Alexandria, and the superior court for the county of Fairfax. **J. D. Simms** will attend the courts in Prince George and Charles Counties in Maryland—the superior court for the county of Prince William, and the circuit courts for the counties of Alexandria and Washington. By this arrangement one or the other may at all times be seen and consulted at his office, where deeds and other writings will be drawn when required. The attention of both will be given to business entrusted to either of them.

April 11.

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**Fresh Fruit.**

A few boxes **Lemons, Oranges and Figs**, just received and for sale by

**John G. Ladd.**

April 12.

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**SMITHS' WORK.**

THE subscribers respectfully inform their friends and the public, that they carry on **The Black Smith Business,**

IN ITS VARIOUS BRANCHES.

THOSE who favor them with their custom may depend on having their work done with neatness and dispatch.

**FIELD & ROCK,**

**N.B.** A smart active lad, about 14 or 15 years of age, wanted as an apprentice to the above business.

**H. FIELD,**

Has for sale, as usual, at his *Nail Manufactory*,

**Spikes, Nails, Brads & Sprigs** of every description, by the cask or less quantity.

Two or three Journeyman wrought Nailors will meet with constant employ by applying at said factory.

April 5.

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**Lottery Intelligence.**

*Black River Lottery, No. 2.*

Gain of the wheel at the close of the fourth day's drawing 6,610 dollars.

Present price of tickets, Nine Dollars Fifty Cents, but will rise in a few days to Ten Dollars.

Warranted undrawn tickets, or cash (deducting postage) given for prizes as soon as drawn.

Tickets in a great variety of numbers, for sale at

**R. Gray's Book-Store.**

April 20.

**Joseph H. Mandeville,**

Corner of King and Union-streets,

**HAS FOR SALE,**

2000 bushels coarse and fine **Salt**, by the bushel and in sacks.

50 barrels **Whiskey**

1000 wt. **Rhode Island Cheese.**

Goshen do. in casks.

5000 wt. best green **Coffee**, in bags.

1000 do. white do.

**French Brandy.**

**Jamaica, Antigua, Windward Island, and New England Rum.**

**Imperial, Hyson, Young Hyson, and Hyson Skin Teas,** of the latest importations.

**Sugar, best Muscovado**, in hogsheads and barrels.

Do inferior qualities, in do.

**Molasses**, in hogsheads

**Clover Seed**, warranted fresh.

**Cotton**, in bales and by retail.

**Candles**, mould and dipped.

**Loaf and Lump Sugar.**

**Spanish Cigars**, **Hamilton's and Garret's**

**Snuff**, in bottles, **Writing and Wrapping Paper**, **Pepper**, **Allspice**, **Chewing Tobacco**, **Madder**, **Copperas**, **Soal Leather**, **Bed Cords**, **Leading-Lines**, &c. &c.

Also,

Best **Superfine Flour**, for private families, a few barrels **Corn**, and some **Seed Oats**, **Plaster of Paris**, &c.

April 17.

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**John Gardner Ladd,**

Has for sale, at his Warehouse, Prince-street Wharf—

**Muscovado and Loaf Sugars** in hogsheads and barrels.

**Molasses**, **West-India**, and **New-England Rum** in do.

**Holland's Gin** and **French Brandy** in pipes, **Port, Sherry**, and **Malaga Wines.**

**Coffee**, **Rice**, and **Cotton Wool.**

**Imperial, Hyson, Young Hyson, Hyson-shulan**, and **Hyson-skin Teas**, in whole, half, and quarter chests.

1 case **black Persians.**

2 barrels **Caroline Indigo.**

20 crates **Liverpool cream-colored & blue- edged Ware** assorted.

Best **Black Pepper** in Bags.

**Spermaceti Mould**, and **Mould and Dip**

**Tallow Candles** in boxes.

**Brown Soap** in boxes—**Cod-fish** in do.

**Beef, Pork, Salmon, Shad and Herrings** in barrels.

**Tanners Oil**, **Spanish Hides**, a quantity of **Soal Leather**, **Mens', Womens' and Childrens**

**Shoes** of various descriptions, a few packages of **White Rolls and German Checks.** **Russia**

**Sheetings and Diapers**, **Russia and Ravens**

**Duck**, **India Cotton** of different kinds, **Nankens**, 150 pieces coarse **Irish Linens.** **Writing and wrapping Paper**, 500 bushels coarse

**Salt**, **Cordage**, **Flax**, **Glue**, a quantity of **Vinegar**, 200 tons **Plaster Paris**, and 20 tons

**Russian Hemp**, &c. &c.

January

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber having disposed of his stock and materials in the *Clock and Watch-making and Silversmith's* business, to **GREENBERRY GRIFFITH** and **JOHN GAITHER**, respectfully recommends them to his friends as his successors and solicits a continuance of their custom.

He requests all those indebted to him for work done, to make payment to **Mr. Greenberry Griffith**, who is authorised to receive and receipt for the same.

**Jacob Gregg.**

April 4th, 1809.

**GREENBERRY GRIFFITH**

AND

**JOHN GAITHER,**

*Clock and Watch-makers and Silversmiths,*

Corner of Fairfax and Prince-streets,

HAVING purchased the stock and materials belonging to **Mr. Jacob Gregg**, are prepared to execute all orders in their line with neatness and dispatch. They have on hand and intend keeping a general assortment of **Gold and Silver Watches**, warranted, **SILVER WARE** and **FANCY ARTICLES**, &c. and respectfully solicit a portion of public patronage, which they will endeavor to merit by a steady attention to business and a faithful and neat execution of their work.

April 4.

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**FOR SALE OR RENT,**

The old Bank, opposite the market.

**A. HOLBROOK.**

March 27

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**Black River Lottery.**  
NO. 2

Authorised by an Act of the LEGISLATURE of the State of New York, for the purpose of OPENING CERTAIN ROADS.

**MANAGERS—**

**THOMAS STORM, JOHN H. SICKLES, WM. HENDRESON, MATTHIAS B. TALLMADGE, and JACOBUS VAN SCHOONHOVEN.**

**SCHEME.**

1 prize of \$30,000	is	\$30,000
2	20,000	20,000
3	10,000	10,000
4	5,000	5,000
5	2,000	2,000
6	1,000	1,000
7	500	500
8	200	200
9	100	100
10	50	50
11	20	20
12	10	10

11,914 Prizes.

21,986 Blanks.

33,000 Tickets—Less than two blanks to a prize.—Subject to a deduction of 15 per cent. Prizes payable 30 days after the conclusion of the drawing of the above prizes.

First drawn number 1st days drawing is entitled to \$4,000

do. 10th do. 1,000

do. 15th do. 2,000

do. 20th do. 1,000

do. 25th do. 500

do. 30th do. 1,000

do. 35th do. 10,000

do. 45th do. 20,000

The managers will commence drawing in the city of N. York, on the second Tuesday in April next, and will continue to draw 600 Tickets each day until finished.—Tickets for sale at the subscribers Bookstore King-street, Alexandria.—Prize tickets in the present and late Baltimore Lotteries taken in exchange for Tickets in this, and all tickets sold as above examined free of expence.

**R. GRAY.**

Feb. 6.

**TO RENT,**

A convenient two story **FRAME HOUSE** on Patrick street, nearly opposite Isaac Gissons, lately occupied by **Mr. Thomas Moore**. Possession may be had immediately.—Apply to

**James Anderson.**

March 23.

**SEINE ROPE.**

THE subscriber manufactures and has for sale, at his house on Washington-street, opposite **Jacob Hoffman's** sugar refinery, **Seine and Hauling Ropes**, of all sizes; **Seine & Sewing Twine**; **Shad & Herring Twine**; **Sacking and Bed Cords**, **Plough Lines & Traces**, Also, **Tarred Rope** and other Cords.

**Joseph Harper.**

February 2.

**FOR RENT,**

THE DWELLING HOUSE of the late Colonel **Hooe**, on Water-street.—It is spacious and convenient, and has all necessary outhouses, with a very excellent garden attached to it.

**J. H. Hooe,**

**John Muncafter,**

Executors.

March 25.

**One Hundred Dollars Reward.**

**RAN AWAY**, from the subscribers, TWO **Slaves**, named **BILLY** and **NELLY**. **Billy** is a mulatto man, and sometimes calls himself **WILLIAM JORDAN AUGUSTUS**—his color nearly as light and approaches that of a white man, his hair is straight and he generally wears it platted and turned up behind with a comb—his visage is remarkably thin and his cheek bones high—he has been brought up in the house and is a very good dining-room servant, is about 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, very straight built, his constitution is not very strong and he is subject to indisposition—he is about 30 years of age.

**NELLY** is tall and rather inclined towards corpulency, a tawney color and about forty-five years of age.

They went off together as man and wife, but it is very probable **Billy** will attempt to pass as a white man and will endeavor to get **Nelly** as his slave.

The above reward will be paid for the apprehension and securing of the said **Slaves**, if taken up on the north side of the river Potomac, and information given thereof to their respective proprietors. A reasonable reward will be given if taken within the state of Virginia, and reasonable charges will be paid if brought home.

**George Carter,**

Calands, near Leesburg, Virginia.

**A. Long,**

County of Culpepper, Virginia.

April 19.

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